## Detroit Water & Sewerage Department (DWSD) BRIGHTMOOR UPDATE

## Please note, the originally scheduled Feburay 8 community meeting has been rescheduled to March 7.

The Detroit Water & Sewerage Department is working on two flood mitigation projects in Brightmoor. The projects are designed to collect and manage rainfall and snowmelt in order to reduce basement backups, street flooding and improve the water quality of the Rouge River.

Construction of the **Fenkell Stormwater Projects** will begin this spring. The project includes the installation of 22 bioretention practices on 92 vacant Detroit Land Bank Authority (DLBA) parcels.

The second project is the **proposed Brightmoor Stormwater Improvement Project**. This project under discussion requires DWSD to acquire privately-owned properties. DWSD is meeting with property owners within the proposed project area to offer acquisition packages. If DWSD receives voluntary approval from the property owners, the project will be presented for approval. Community input meetings on design will be held prior to construction.

To hear an update on the Fenkell Stormwater Projects and to learn about the proposed Brightmoor Stormwater Improvement Project, attend DWSD's community meeting on

## March 7, 2024 at 5:30 p.m.

at Crowell Recreation Center located at 16630 Lahser, Detroit, MI 48219.

